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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
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: Before the Examiner:
: Piotr Poltorak

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: Group Art Unit: 2134

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: IBM Corp.
: Intellectual Property Law

Title: SECURITY FOR NETWORK-
CONNECTED VEHICLES AND OTHER
NETWORK-CONNECTED
PROCESSING ENVIRONMENTS

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REPLY TO ADVISORY ACTION

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In response to the Advisory Action having a mailing date of December 30, 2005, Applicants have hereby filed a Request for Continued Examination, and further reply as follows to the comments by the Examiner in the Advisory Action:

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.8

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service with sufficient postage as first class mail in an envelope addressed to Mail Stop RCE, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450, on January 5, 2006.

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